

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TAMPA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

Case No. 8:03-CR-77-T-30TBM

GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT

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**DEFENDANT GHASSAN BALLUT'S MOTION TO ADOPT HATIM  
FARIZ'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
IN WHICH TO FILE PRETRIAL MOTIONS REGARDING  
THE CHARGES IN THE SUPERSEDING INDICTMENT**

The Defendant, GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT, by and through his undersigned counsel, hereby requests this Honorable Court to permit the Defendant to adopt Co-Defendant HATIM FARIZ's Motion for Extension of Time in Which to File Pretrial Motions Regarding the Charges in the Superseding Indictment dated October 21, 2004 (Doc. 688) and the grounds set forth in the Motion and all evidence adduced in support of the Motion, the same as if the same Motion were set out, filed, and produced by the Defendant, GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT, but only to the extent that the Motion, the Memorandum of Law, or the evidence in support are beneficial and not adverse to the Defendant's interests, and as grounds therefor states:

1. As the Court imposed the same time limit for dispositive motions on all defendants, and as HATIM FARIZ's Motion requests the Court to extend by five days the period of time granted to all defendants in this action to file dispositive motions in regard to the superseding indictment, and as all defendants likely will have many of the same or similar grounds for these motions, it is reasonable to grant the same consideration and extension to all defendants.

2. The Defendant makes this motion to adopt to permit the Defendant the benefit of HATIM FARIZ's aforesaid Motion without burdening the record with unnecessary repetition

and in the interests of judicial economy.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant requests this Honorable Court to permit the Defendant to adopt HATIM FARIZ's aforesaid Motion for Extension of Time and further requests the Court to grant the relief requested therein on behalf of the Defendant.

Respectfully submitted,

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